

A Christmas Wish

I like to think that there will be
On Christmas Day, around each tree,
A feeling of the presence of
The Child God sent us with His love;
That there, beside each girl and boy,
He'll be, and sharing in their joy.

I like to think that, all the while,
The gifts unfold, I'll see Him smile;
And that He'll hear our carolling,
And know it's for the thanks we bring
To God the Father, for His birth,
To be among us on the Earth.

O, may our Christmas time be gay:
But let's remember it's His Day —
Let's find a place for prayer in it,
And so have Jesus share in it.

—Carl Helm

The Christmas Story

Now it came to pass in those days, that a decree went forth from Caesar Augustus that a census of the whole world should be taken. This first census took place while Cyrus was governor of Syria. And all were going, each to his own town, to register.

And Joseph also went from Galilee out of the town of Nazareth into Judea to the town of David, which is called Bethlehem, being of the family and house of David, to register together with Mary his espoused wife who was with child.

And it came to pass while they were there, that the days for her to be delivered were fulfilled. And she brought forth her first-born son, wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were shepherds in the same district living in the fields and keeping watch over their flock by night. And behold, an angel of the Lord stood by them and the glory of God shone about them and they feared exceedingly.

And the angel said to them,

"Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which shall be to all people, for today, in the town of David, a Savior has been born to you who is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign to you; you will find an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger."

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good will toward men." — The Gospel According to St. Luke.



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SEES A CHALLENGE
TO BOTH OLD PARTIES
IN 1956

"NEW POLITICAL PARTY?"

Under the above heading, we glean from the Palm Beach (Fla.) Post, as relayed through "Free Men Speak", the mouth-piece of the "Federation for Constitutional Government," 7314 Zimpel St., New Orleans, La., the following reflections on the probabilities of such a movement.

The scramble for place and power between the two dominant political parties has brought them so near to a coalition on governmental policies as to leave little choice between the two for the voter who stands for basic American democratic principles as distinguished from New Dealish One-World-ism.

Small wonder, indeed, that thoughtful voters of both old parties are seeking elsewhere for adherents to sound American principles.

But read the editorial:

"NEW POLITICAL PARTY?"
A new political party may have been born this week. It could be a "third party" or, if it hews to the line on the principles laid down by its sponsors and organizers, it could replace one of the present major parties.

Actually, it was not announced as a political party at all. Called the "Federation for Constitutional Government," it consists so far of an advisory committee headed by John U. Barr of New Orleans. This committee plans a nationwide movement to resist left-wing tendencies in government.

That is a solid foundation for a new political party if we ever saw one. Other announced aims of the organization also should have a wide appeal to millions of Americans who have watched the federal government drift deeper and deeper into socialism. Among those aims are:

(1) Preservation of the independence of the legislative, executive and judicial departments.

(2) Preservation of the sovereign rights of the several states and of individual liberties, guaranteed by the federal constitution.

(3) Securing the nomination of candidates for office who subscribe to these principles, and to resist the nomination of leftist candidates for President and Vice President and other offices.

(4) Oppose the adoption of socialist platforms.

(5) To seek in every honorable and legitimate way to prohibit the practices and counteract the effects and consequences of executive agreements or orders, and of decisions of the federal courts and the U. S. Supreme Court which have wrongfully abrogated, modified, or amended the provisions of the U. S. Constitution.

At present the intention is to concentrate on development of a strong organization in the South and "then invite all patriotic individuals to join in." The nucleus of a strong Southern organization is already there, with the advisory committee including many congressmen, governors and other political and business leaders of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. An organizational meeting is planned at an early date.

Whatever results from this movement, it should have a salutary effect on the thinking of leaders of both major political parties. It could well be a rallying point for real statesmen in both parties who realize that the labels they wear often have no more difference in meaning than Tweedle Dum and Tweedle Dee.

The "Federation for Constitutional Government," in our opinion, has the makings of a grassroots political uprising long overdue. It is our hope that not too much stress will be laid on its regional origin; that it will, indeed, become a national movement. It could reverse a trend that threatens to undermine the very foundation of the American way of life.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Sheppard

reversed the ruling "a heartening and far-reaching victory."

Texas Leads in Dope

Anti-George Parr forces are one step nearer their goal of prosecuting the South Texas political boss on charges of misappropriation of Duval County funds.

Last week the State Supreme Court unanimously upheld the suspension of a Duval County Commissioner, Mrs. Estella G. Garcia. This shifted the balance of power to a commissioners court that sides with the state on where and how Parr shall be tried for recovery of about \$1,000,000.

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Texas Leads in Dope

Texas leads all other states in illegal narcotics traffic. So says Charles F. Herring of Austin. He stated that pushers find it easy to obtain dope in Mexico-Texas border towns.

Herring is a former U. S. District Attorney. He testified at hearings in San Antonio, before U. S. Senator Price Daniel's subcommittee on dope traffic.

Both the Texas Department of Public Safety and federal units along the border are "seriously undermanned," said Herring. He recommended more men and equipment... much stiffer laws.

Short Snorts

Charles M. Rogers of Amarillo

has been reappointed a member of the Teacher Retirement Board of Trustees by Gov. Allan Shivers.

Only 15,000 of the state's 38,000

employers have taken steps to

comply with the state's new un-

employment compensation law

which takes effect January 1.

The new law includes employers of four or more persons. Pre-

viously only employers of eight or

more had to pay unemployment

taxes.

Bids totaling \$6,886,390.57 on 155

miles of road construction were

tabulated last week by the State

Highway Commission.

Contracts let thus far on the

Dallas-Ft. Worth toll road will to-

tal \$13,524,321 after awards are

made this week for six bridges.

2 Anvil Herald, Hondo, Texas

Friday, Dec. 23, 1955

Here In Hondo

Rio Medina News

By Mrs. Clarence Huegele



AUSTIN — Purchasers of in-

surance policies from U. S. Trust

and Guaranty Co. are advised to

buy other coverage, for their own

safety.

That's the recommendation of

Garland Smith, chairman of the

Texas Board of Insurance Com-

missioners.

District Judge Charles O. Betts

has appointed State Liquidator J.

D. Wheeler, as temporary recei-

ver, to take over operation of

the multi-million dollar Waco

firm which the insurance com-

missioners have declared insol-

vent.

U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co.

closed last week at Judge Betts'

order, has sold fidelity, surety,

guaranty, fire, auto, general li-

ability and all forms of casualty

insurance except workmen's com-

pensation.

Attorney General John Ben

Sheppard filed the suit against

the firm. Action was necessary to

prevent future loss to depositors

and other creditors, said the in-

surance board.

U. S. Automotive Service and

Arkansas Fire and Marine Insur-

ance Co., alleged subsidiaries, al-

so were covered by Judge Betts'

order.

Offices of the firm are located

at Austin, Beaumont, Corpus

Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Ft.

Worth, Hillsboro, Houston, Lub-

bock, Sherman, San Antonio, Ty-

ler and Waco.

J. B. Alderdice, chief of the

safety responsibility division of

the Texas Department of Public

Safety, said that the department

would accept, in lieu of cash se-

curity, any automobile liability in-

surance policy issued by the com-

pany up to the date when and

if the company finally is placed in

receivership.

"However," said Alderdice, "if

a suit is filed and judgment

obtained against the holder of

such a policy, as the result of

a motor vehicle accident, and the

judgment is not satisfied by either

the company or the policy holder,

it will be necessary for the de-

partment to suspend the driver's

license and vehicle registration

until the judgment has been sati-

sfied and proof of financial res-

sponsibility for the future is fur-

nished."

More Land Suits

Six suits seeking recovery of

\$288,489 on loans made under the

veterans land program were filed

in Austin last week by Atty.

Gen. John Ben Sheppard.

The land is located in Dimmit,

Zavala and Uvalde counties. Suits

pertain to block deals made

with 42 veterans, mostly Latin-

Americans. Ten south Texas land

promoters were listed as defen-

dants.

This makes a total of 30 such

civil suits brought by the state.

Total recovery sought is \$2,945,381

Total recovered to date, in five

suits, is \$381,032.

Anti-Parr Forces Win

Anti-George Parr forces are

one step nearer their goal of

prosecuting the South

Greetings

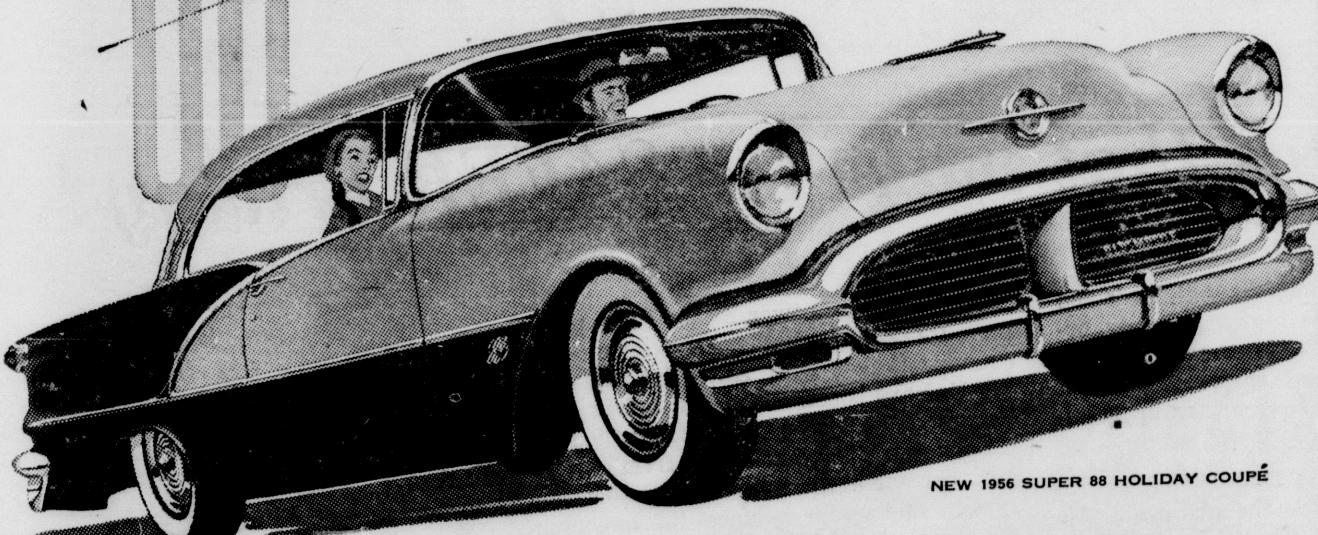
We're thinking of you, all our friends, and hoping that this happy Christmas season brings to you good cheer, good health and good fellowship. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.



From The Following District And County Officials:

Arthur H. Rothe—County Judge	George Kimmy, Justice of the Peace
O. J. Bader—County Treasurer	Ralph Noonan—County Attorney
Alf. J. Rohrbach—Tax Assessor-Collector	Emil Britsch—District Clerk
Fred Bader—Comm. Prec. 1	C. F. Schweers—County Supt.
Hilmer Mangold—Comm. Prec. 2	Henry Schulte—County Clerk
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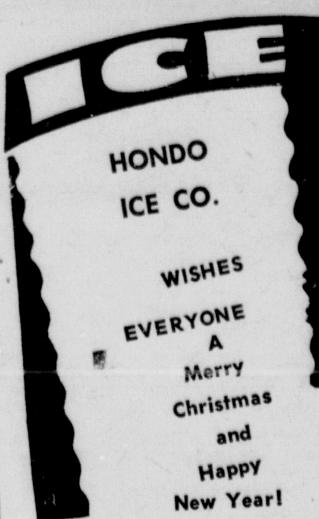
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SECO PHILOSOPHER ADVISES

Ike Not To Think Gadgets On His Tractor Will Eliminate The Work

Editor's note: The Seco Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm is giving advice to the President of the United States this week unsolicited of course.

Dear editor:

With the natural interest of one farmer for another I've been keeping up with all the gifts friends have been sending President Eisenhower for his farm at Gettysburg and last week I was especially interested in a new tractor somebody gave him.

This tractor as I understand it is equipped with about everything including a radio and a cigarette lighter.

Now all along I have suspected that some of these gifts say like this new tractor are coming from Democrats who hope to make the farm so attractive Ike will give up the White House for it but the point I want to make is that it doesn't make any difference how many gadgets a tractor has to relieve the monotony nobody has ever figured out how to eliminate a driver and that's where the rub comes in as if you hadn't already seen farmers standing up occasionally to plow.

You can equip a tractor with a radio, television, cigarette lighter, coffee maker, ice cubes, high fidelity phonograph, two-way telephone, push-button transmission,

wrap-around windshield, power steering, white sidewall tires and an engine that uses atomic energy for fuel but essentially it's still a plow designed to go up one row and down another and while there are worse jobs you sit on one for eight or ten hours and you won't find the television program invented yet to keep you up past bedtime.

I know they're experimenting with tractors that operate by remote control set the dial and let 'em plow all day un-manned but you let one of 'em hit a field with a few point rows in between two terraces or a field with a few boulders or stumps and you're gonna have a tractor on your hands with a nervous breakdown.

Understand I'm in favor of all these new improvements—riding a tractor beats following a mule on foot but sitting on a bank fishing beats either one. In fact as I understand the goal of tractor manufacturers it's to get a tractor that takes all the work out of farming but I've found fishing does the same thing without nearly the investment.

Don't let 'em trick you with these gadgets Ike. Farming is work.

Yours faithfully
J. A.

There's Bad News Ahead:

Tax Forms In Mail Soon

The 1955 income tax forms and instructions to individual taxpayers will be mailed between Dec. 27 and Jan. 10 from Kansas City R. L. Phinney Director of Internal Revenue in Austin announced today. "Taxpayers should postpone their inquiries regarding these forms until after Jan. 10. The vari-colored stripes will not be in style this year" he said.

"Taxpayers receiving tax blanks and instructions by mail should not misplace or discard them but should save them for use in filing their tax returns since the supply of instruction pamphlets is limited" he added.

A study of the new tax forms shows a few changes which make the return easier to complete. A new tax table for married taxpayers filing jointly eliminates the complicated computation on the return for figuring tax on split incomes.

The simplest form will again be the 1040A card devised for the employee whose total wages are less than \$5000 and who did not have over \$100 of other income. Form 1040 is designed to meet the needs of all persons who do not use Form 1040A.

Accountants and attorneys who need advance copies can get a reasonable supply of forms at district and local offices. Farmers who file and pay estimated taxes by the January 15 1956 deadline may also obtain the forms they require at district and local offices. All mail requests for forms should be addressed to the District Director of Internal Revenue.

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New Car Registrations

Ernest C. Salas, SA, Chevrolet Ford.

D. W. Ricks, Hondo, Chevrolet 2-door Bel Air.

Robert H. F. Jenkins, Hondo, Ford.

Carroll D. Donlavy, Hondo, Buick, 4-door Sedan.

Thomas M. Long, Hondo, Sportsman Caravan.

Isabelle B. Wyatt, SA, Oldsmobile 4-door.

Della Lee Guerrero, SA, Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

Dave Benavides, SA, Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

Ignacio B. Vidaurre, SA, Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

C. R. Small, SA, Pontiac 4-door Station Wagon.

Dennis P. Alshbury, SA, Buick 2-door Coupe.

A. H. Bendele, Hondo, Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

Robert R. Woodward, Sabin, Buick Est. Wagon

W. B. Meyer, Hondo, Buick Ford.

Flaviano Ramirez, Laredo, Chevrolet 2-door Sedan.

Donald E. Phillips, SA, Chevrolet 2-door Sport Coupe.

Johnny W. Tate, SA, Chevrolet Sport Coupe.

Clemens Finger, D' Hanis, Ford 1/2 T Pickup.

Shell Oil Co., Corpus Christi, Ford 1/2 T Pickup.

O. J. Williams, Hondo, Ford Victoria.

Huron A. Marmon, Jr., Hondo, Hicks H.T.

Universal Cit Credit Corp., SA, Ford Tudor.

Patricia G. Dix, SA, Ford Country Sedan.

Service Fire Ins. Co. of N. Y., SA, Ford 2-door.

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nation, Good Will to all.

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that you find every happiness
in the New Year ahead.

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a Happy New Year to all.

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Cadet Lafferty
On Dean's List

WEST POINT N. Y. — Cadet P. E. Lafferty son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis P. Lafferty Castroville recently was named to the Dean's list at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point for the month of October.

The list includes cadets who are academically in the upper 20 per cent of their class.

Cadet Lafferty is in his first year at the academy. He received a congressional appointment to the academy from the former Representative Lloyd M. Bentsen of the Fifteenth Congressional District Texas.

Lafferty is a 1954 graduate of St. Louis High School Castroville.

Real Estate
Transfers

L. J. Streiber to Ysac Vera, et ux, WD to all of Lots 10, 11 in Blk. 150, Natalia Townsite, \$1, etc.

Donald E. Dischinger, et ux to Henry Y. Pike, WD to Lot 15, 16 in Blk. 43, Natalia Townsite, \$10.

Criminal Docket

Arturo Garcia, Slander, fined \$200 plus 10 days in jail.

C. H. Soape, DWI, Fined \$100, plus 3 days in jail.

Justice Court

Following are the cases tried in the Justice Court. The amount of the fine only is given and the court costs are an additional charge.

J. S. Gonzales, drunk and fighting, fined, \$10.

Jake Sanchez, drunk in public place, fined, \$1.

Manuel T. Leos, pass without sufficient clearance, fined, \$10.

Arthur Hayes, killed doe deer, fined, \$50.

C. A. Kiefer, speeding, fined, \$10.

Sebastian Niera, speeding, fined \$15.

G. W. Crane, speeding, fined, \$10.

Robert Cauthorn, speeding, fined, \$10.

S. Encinia, indecent exposure, fined \$5.

M. Reyes, drunk in public place, fined, \$5.

G. S. C a m p a, overlength, fined \$25.

Mike Guerrero, drunk and disturbing peace, fined, \$5.

A. M. Durham, overweight, fined, \$25.

E. Castillo, fighting and disturbing peace, fined \$5.

ST. LOUIS CLUB HAS
CHRISTMAS PARTY 14TH

CASTROVILLE — The December meeting of the St. Louis School Mother's Club was held Wednesday night, Dec. 14, at the Parish Hall. Mrs. Leonard Marty was chosen mother of the month and the seniors won the attendance prize.

After the meeting adjourned, Meurer, the Sisters of the school Rev. Leo Geertz, Rev. David joyed the annual Christmas party and about forty-five members enjoyed. The club's Christmas gifts were presented to Father Geertz, Father Meurer and the Sisters. Coffee and cookies were served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held on January 25, 1956.

HD CLUB
DOINGS

The Birky H. D. Club held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. George Schmidt on Dec. 10 with all members, their families and two guests present.

Gifts were exchanged. Those present were: M&M Alfred Neuman and Patricia, Joleen and Glenn, M&M Adolph Hutzler, Anita, Melvin and Davis, M&M Paul Bendele, M&M John E. Neuman. Guests were M&M Strayhorn and the host and hostess were George Schmidt.

A turkey supper was served and after the meal, bongo was played. Prizes were awarded high and low score winners and names were drawn for additional prizes.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Tomas Chavez and Aurelia Contreras.

Lee William Smith and Doris Glenn.

Jesus Garcia and Mary Rose Quintanilla.

Rudolfo Dominguez and Roberta Gonzales.

Moises Pizano and Rafaela Bontello.

Happy Birthday

Max Bischoff, Dec. 25
Mrs. Douglas Riff, Dec. 25
Ronald Stinson, Dec. 25
Mrs. W. F. Fuos, Dec. 25
Albert Racer, Dec. 26
Mrs. W. Griggs, Dec. 26
Mrs. Clovia Schweers, Dec. 26
Sharon Wurzbach, Dec. 28
Mrs. Clifton Schott, Dec. 30
Linda and Laura Moss, Dec. 30
Darlene Boehme, Dec. 30
Mrs. Marlin Mechler, Dec. 30
Judy Leinweber, Dec. 30

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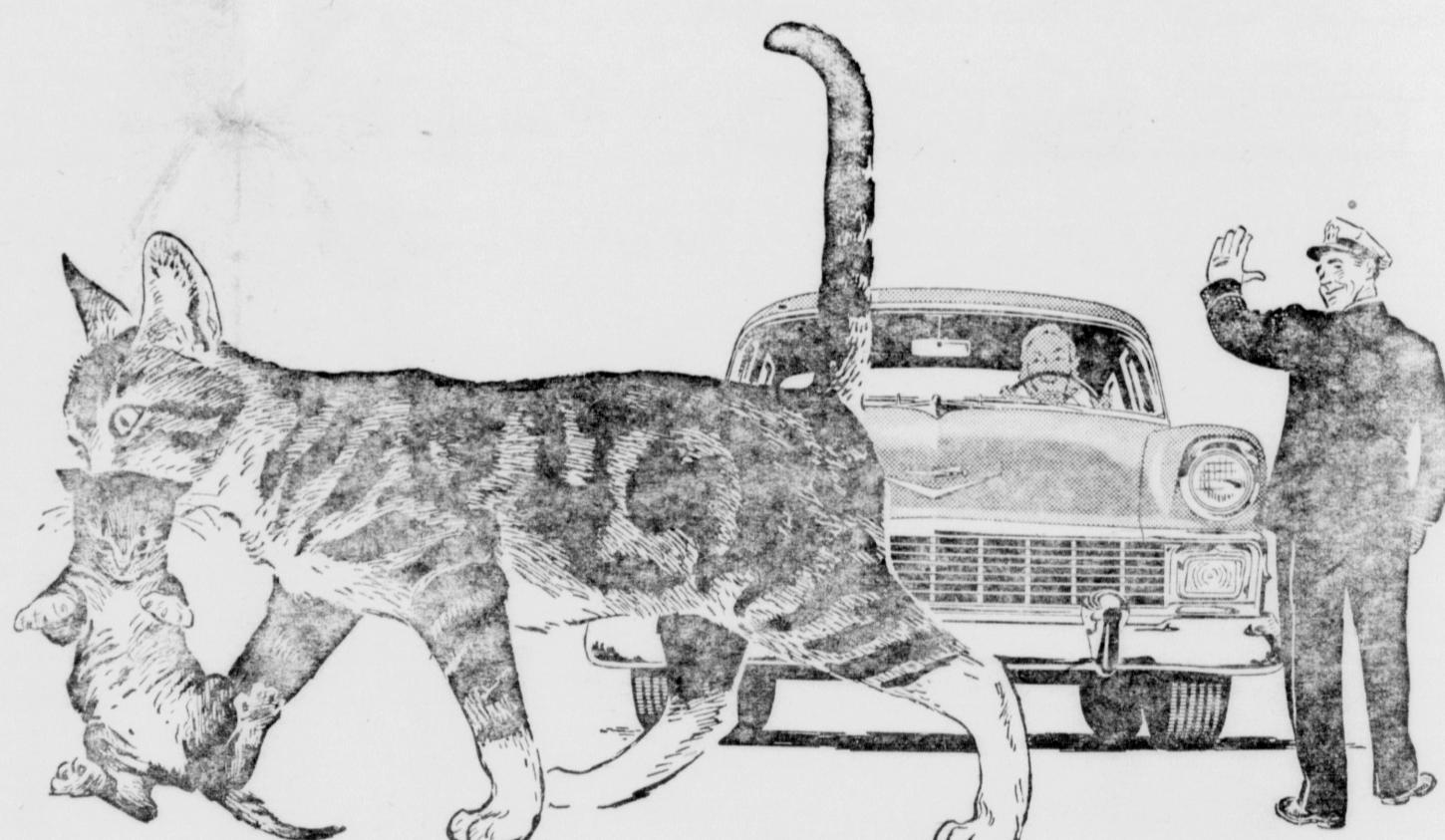
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Season's Greetings

May the "Peace
that passeth all understanding" enter
into your heart
at Christmas. In the spirit of Him,
whose Natal Day we celebrate,
may you find the hope, faith
and courage to hold steadfast
to the bright promise of
a world in which
peace and good will
shall reign forevermore.

Hondo Chamber of Commerce



Two things that make for SAFER driving!

The first and most important thing is you — the driver. As the highway safety organizations and law enforcement agencies point out, the courtesy, care, and common sense you show count more than anything else. You can drive *any* car safely — or foolishly.

The second thing is the car itself. *All* cars are safer today. That's shown by the number of accidents in relation to the number of miles passenger cars are driven. The figure's been going down steadily and sharply.

Chevrolet engineers and designers have always made your safety a major consideration, introducing many such features as the all-steel top, safety plate glass all around, and windshield-wide defrosters into the low-price field. And this '56 Chevrolet is the safest one ever built.

Its lively new power means safer passing. Its special Ball-Race steering—the oversize brakes with Anti-Dive control—the Unisteel construction and safety door latches of its Fisher Body—the nailed-to-the-road stability that comes from outrigger rear springs, an advanced suspension system and better balance—the sweeping panoramic windshield — all these things add to your safety.

Seat belts with or without shoulder harness? Instrument panel padding? Of course, they're available at extra cost on your new Chevrolet. But the best protection of all is to *keep out* of accidents in the first place. And that depends mostly on you and the *built-in* safety of your car.

As your Chevrolet dealer, we'll be glad to show you the many safety features of the '56 Chevrolet.



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to all our friends and neighbors.

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Wishes... may we wish
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the best of health
and joy for Christmas
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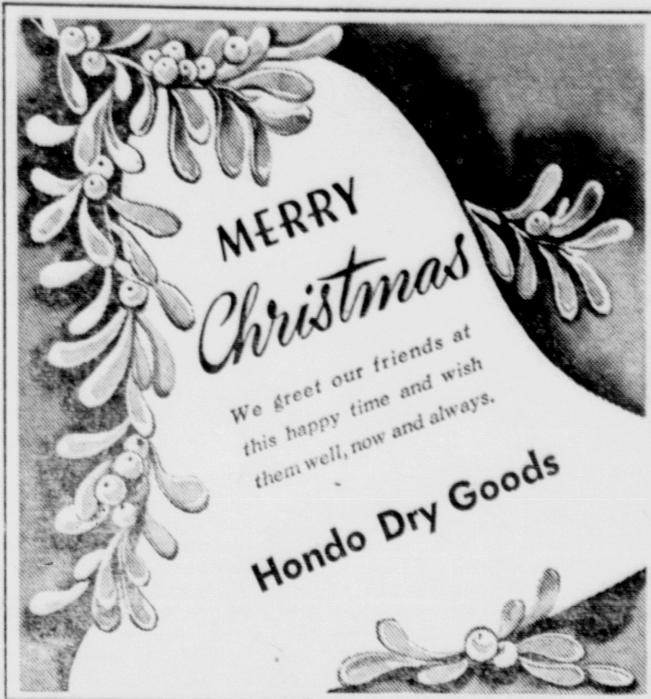
May your Christmas be a merry one and may you recall all its happy memories throughout a bright New Year.

MARY-RENE

LIVESTOCK REPORT

HOGS — Sold for Mark Cowan, D'Hanis, 1 hog, 200 lbs. at \$12.20; also 1 hog, 230 lbs. at \$12.00. **CATTLE** — Sold for H. B. Haegelin, 1 W. F. Hef. Clf. 350 lbs. at \$14.50. Sold for A. L. Haegelin, Hondo, 1 W. F. St. Clf., 430 lbs. at \$16.10. Sold for

Willie Britsch, Hondo, 1 W. F. Cow, 785 lbs. at \$7.50. Sold for M. H. Burger, Hondo, 1 Br. Cow, \$20 lbs. at \$8.80. Sold for Jesse Burger, Hondo, 1 Br. Cow, 1 Bren, M. F. Hef. Clf., at \$117.00 per pr.



Farm Employers Warned To Pay Social Security

Farm employers are reminded by R. L. Phinney of the Internal Revenue Service that social security taxes apply to cash wages paid to every farm worker to whom the employer pays \$100 or more cash wages during the year 1955. The taxes (2 percent employer tax and 2 percent employee tax) apply only to cash wages paid to covered farm workers. Mr. R. L. Phinney said.

Every farm employer who owes these taxes must file a return on Form 943 and pay the taxes on or before January 31 1956. Farm employers should file their returns on time in order to avoid the penalty which may be charged for late filing.

Any employer of covered farm workers who has not already registered with the district director's office should do so at once. The registration form SS-4 can be obtained from any Internal Revenue or Social Security office. The district director will mail the necessary return forms and instructions to all registered employers.

HERE IN HONDO

M&M Rudy Sprott visited M&M Walter Muennink Friday night, M&M. Geo. J. Muennink and Mike Tschirhart visited the Sprotts Saturday night, and M&M Frank Williams, M&M Jim Duncan visited them Monday night.

M&M Ed Bearchman of SA visited last Tuesday afternoon with M&M Alvis Lagleder.

Mrs. W. G. Kochler of SA spent Saturday with Mrs. Mary Kauffman and Mrs. Hugo Adam and children, Deslyn and Johnny.

Mrs. Theresa Oltis and son Frank of Castroville visited relatives here Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Pate of Lytle visited Monday with M&M Robert Grossenbacher.

M&M L. M. Pittman and children of Dunlay spent Sunday afternoon with M&M George Kunze and other relatives.

M&M Wilfred Ahr were Sunday dinner guests of M&M Geo. Kunze.

Mrs. John Lloyd Zuercher was in SA Monday.

Nancy and Esther Hitzfelder of Moore spent a few days this week with their grandparents, M&M R. A. Biediger and Carroll and Dorothy.

Mrs. R. A. Biediger, Carroll and Dorothy and granddaughters Nancy and Esther Hitzfelder and Mrs. Katie Reicherzer attended the Christmas party at St. John's Seminary in SA Saturday night.

Mrs. Bernard Rihm returned to her home Saturday morning after spending ten days with M&M Vernon Bippert and baby of College Station.

M&M T. J. Parma and son of SA visited Sunday with M&M W. F. Biediger and sons of M&M A. P. Parma.

Mrs. Paul Christilles and Dennis spent last Thursday and Friday at Converse with her parents, M&M Paul Biediger and son.

Mrs. Henry Salzmann and Mrs. Milton Salzmann and daughter Donna Deene were Hondo visitors last Thursday.

Mrs. L. M. Pittman and daughter, Joyette Faye of Dunlay were Hondo business visitors Monday morning.

M&M Roy Carden of Idlewild visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Florene Bendale of SA spent Tuesday night with M&M George Kunze and on Wednesday morning she attended the funeral of her uncle, August Burger.

Julius Ahr of Cline spent the weekend with relatives here and in SA.

M&M Ed Weimer of Fredericksburg, Mrs. Denson and children of SA and M&M Max Grossenbacher of Eagle Pass attended the funeral of their uncle, August Burger, Wednesday morning.

F. Musick, Mrs. Joe Kauffman, Mrs. Mary Kauffman, Mrs. John Heisser, Mrs. Hugo Adam, Mrs. Francis Echtle, Mrs. Clarence Stein and Mrs. Randolph Koch were among those who attended

LACOSTE NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Koch

M&M Henry Salzmann and Wilfred, M&M William Bohl, Florentina, Howard and Harry, M&M Milton Salzmann, Milton Jr. and Donna Deene and Gary and Patrick Griffin, all of here, and M&M Quintin Haby and children of Rio Medina enjoyed a turkey supper at the home of M&M Raymond Salzmann and children of Noonan Sunday evening.

M&M Charles Bauerlein of Sherwood Road visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Douglas of SA spent Sunday with M&M Robert Grossenbacher.

Mrs. William Bippert and Mrs. Reinhardt Bippert visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Wilfred Ahr.

M&M Ed Bearchman of SA visited last Tuesday afternoon with M&M Alvis Lagleder.

Mrs. W. G. Kochler of SA spent Saturday with Mrs. Mary Kauffman and Mrs. Hugo Adam and children, Deslyn and Johnny.

M&M Clayton Murphy and son of Alice, are spending the Christmas holidays with M&M Bernard Rihm and family.

M&M Eldrich Kunze of SA spent Monday in the George Kunze home.

M&M Louis Lagleder and sons were Sunday dinner guests of M&M Alvis Lagleder and son George. In the afternoon they were also joined by M&M Ed Lagleder of SA and Mrs. Francis Lessing and son of Macdonald. Visiting with M&M Wilfred Hutzler Sr. over the weekend were M&M B. J. Whetles and daughters Carol Ann and Linda Lou of SA.

Harvey Lee Kunze and James Geiger of San Marcos are spending the holidays with M&M George Kunze and other relatives and friends.

M&M Leslie Bailey and Mrs. Mayme Tripp of SA visited recently with relatives and friends.

M&M Adolph Zinsmeier of the Sau visited in the Cornelius Fischer home one day last week.

Mrs. Jack Carroll and Mrs. Bess Thunken of SA visited Friday with Mrs. Mary Kauffman and Mrs. Hugo Adam and children.

Dinner guests of M&M Robert Grossenbacher on Wednesday were M&M Ed Weimer of Fredericksburg, Mrs. Denson and children of SA and M&M Max Grossenbacher of Eagle Pass.



May the glory
of Christmas remain in
your heart
throughout a bright
New Year.

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M. L. "Meh" Tracy,
Manager

SAN ANTONIO Texas

Notice To Taxpayers

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL BE AT THE FOLLOWING NAMED PLACES ON DATES GIVEN BELOW FOR THE PURPOSE OF . . .

COLLECTING 1955 TAXES

and assessing for the year 1956

MICO	Jan. 3, 1956	9 a. m. to 11 a. m.
MAVERICK	Jan. 3, 1956	1 p. m. to 3 p. m.
RIO MEDINA	Jan. 4, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
CASTROVILLE	Jan. 5, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
CASTROVILLE	Jan. 6, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
LACOSTE	Jan. 9, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
COAL MINE	Jan. 10, 1956	9 a. m. to 11 a. m.
NATALIA	Jan. 10, 1956	1 p. m. to 3 p. m.
NATALIA	Jan. 11, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
DEVINE	Jan. 12, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
DEVINE	Jan. 13, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
D'HANIS	Jan. 16, 1956	9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Respectfully,

Alfred J. Rohrbach

Assessor and Collector of Taxes, Medina Co.

Season's Greetings

With the approach of Christmas, our thoughts revert gratefully to those whose good will and confidence we have learned to treasure throughout the years. It is to these old friends and our many new ones that we wish to extend our warmest wishes for a cheerful and joyous Christmas — a happy and prosperous New Year.

W. J. Hardy

Furniture Company

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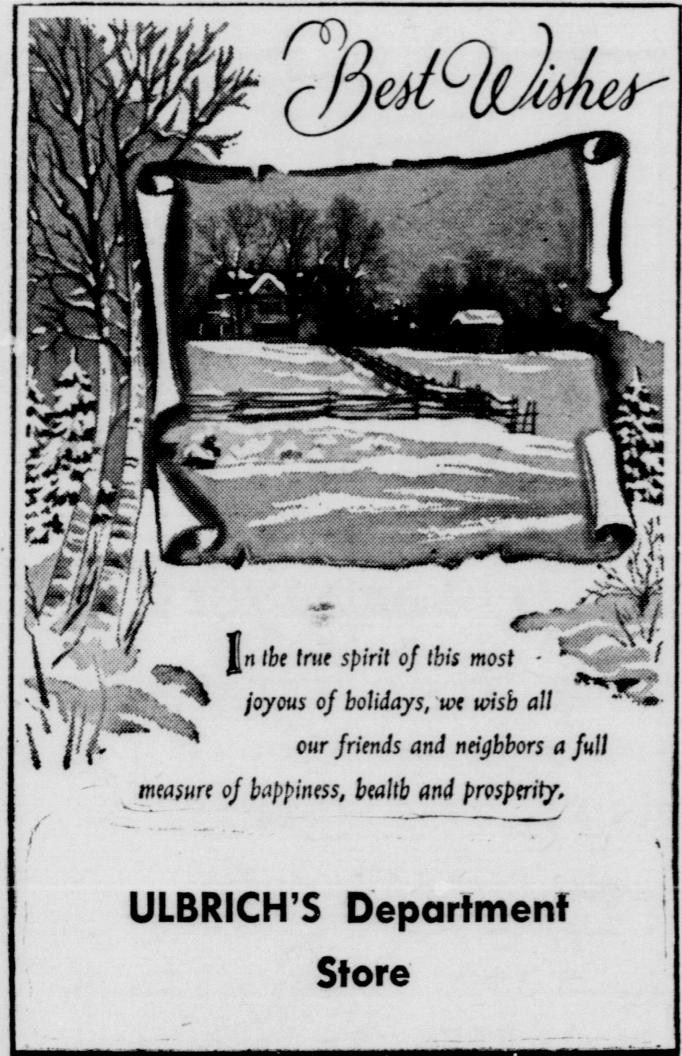
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Store

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1720 AVE. M

DROMEDARY	
Dates	lb. 29c
GRAYSON'S	
Oleomargarine	lb. 19c
ASSORTED FLAVORS	
Jello	3 pkgs. 28c
TREND	
Sugar Powder	2 pkgs. 35c
IMPERIAL CANE	
Sugar	5 lbs. 47c
LIBBY'S-NO. 303	
Pumpkin	13c
Tide	large 29c

HOME KILLED MEATS

HORMEL 12-LB. AVG.	lb. 49c
CURED HAMS	
RATH'S 4 TO 6 LB.	
PICNIC HAMS	lb. 39c
SLICED BACON	lb. 39c
SMALL BONE	
CHUCK ROAST	lb. 48c

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY, DEC. 23-24

LIBBY'S SWEET	
Pickles	41c
Libby's Whole Kernel-No. 303	
Corn	15c
PRATLO SPICED-No. 2½	
Peaches	29c
LIBBY'S CUT	
Beets	14c
Lindy Peas	16c
CURTIS	
Marshmallows	pkg. 21c

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES	
LARGE TEXAS	dozen 39c
ORANGES	
DELICIOUS	
APPLES	dozen 49c
JUICY	
TANGERINES	dozen 39c
LARGE	each 15c
CELERY	

HOLIDAY DANCES

Rural Murry's, Medina Lake

CHRISTMAS NIGHT

Music by

STARS OF THE RANGE

Guest Star

Poke Salad

CHARLIE WALKER

Adm. \$1.00

Adm. \$1.25 Including

hats & noisemakers

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AT

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BORDEN'S

Eggnog Mix

BAKER'S PREMIUM

Chocolate

NORTHERN

Tissue

SCOTT

Towels

Marshmallows

pkg. 21c

3 lbs. 85c

lb. 91c

qt. 49c

49c

3 rolls 25c

roll 19c

each 15c

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Greetings

We're thinking of you, all our friends, and hoping that this happy Christmas season brings to you good cheer, good health and good fellowship.

A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

WINDROW
DRUG STORE

Merry--Merry Christmas

IMPERIAL CANE Sugar	10 lbs. 94c
MAXWELL HOUSE Coffee	lb. 93c
MAXWELL HOUSE Instant Coffee	6-oz. \$1.41
GLADIOLA—VASE OF CANDY FREE!	
Tortilla Flour	25 lbs. \$1.82
Pet Milk	tall 3 cans 44c
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Crisco	6 lb. can \$1.74

HUNT'S CATSUP	2 for 41c
INDY PEAS, No. 303	2 cans 33c
INTO BEANS	5 lbs. 51c
FOR NEW YEAR'S DINNER BLACKEYED PEAS	lb. 19c
VAN CAMP'S TUNA	1/2's — 25c
COUNTY KIST VAC-PACK—12-OZ. CORN	15c
DEL MONTE—NO. 2 1/2 PEACHES	34c
DEL MONTE OR LIBBY—46-OZ. TOMATO JUICE	31c
Miracle Whip	qt. 59c
PILLSBURY—EXCEPT ANGEL FOOD CAKE MIX	35c
FRISIE DOG FOOD	3 cans 39c
LIPTON'S—100 COUNT TEA BAGS	100 count \$1.09
RED PLUM JAM RICE	2 lb. jar 45c cello bag 3 lbs. 33c

OUR OR DILL Diamond Pickles	qt. 26c
WALDORF TISSUES GIANT 400 COUNT	4 rolls 36c
KLEENEX GIANT SIZE	28c
JAX SKIPPY	15c
PEANUT BUTTER JOHNSON'S GLO-COAT LIBBY'S	jar 44c
CORNED BEEF HASH FROZEN NUJOY MELONINE FROZEN	pint with 1-3 free! 59c
BLACKEYED PEAS MOTTON'S FROZEN—FAMILY SIZE	pkg. 28c
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PAGING THE LADIES

Christmas Party Held Dec. 12

The annual Christmas party and banquet of the Business and Professional Women was held Dec. 12th in their new meeting place above the Kay Mill.

The festival occasion was brightened by a Christmas tree and lovely table arrangements of cedar, reindeer and Santa Claus. Place cards were made with mistletoe.

Gifts were exchanged and Christmas theme games were played by the 30 members and guests present.

Mrs. Mary Louise DePuy served as General Chairman; decorations were by Miss Mary Ruth Cameron, Mrs. Claudia Cosgrove, and Miss Thelma L. Lynch. Entertainment provided by chairman Mrs. Beth Herring with assistance by Mrs. Mary Louise DePuy.

Dorothy Biediger Feted On Birthday

LACOSTE — Sunday afternoon Dec. 17, Mrs. R. H. Biediger and son Carroll entertained Dorothy Ann with a party on her 9th birthday.

The afternoon was spent by playing various games, and prizes awarded to winners.

Refreshments of cake, candy, and soda pop were served to the following: Sharon Franger, Charlene Reams, Elizabeth Echtle, Wendy and Susan Adam, Marilyn Echtle, Patrick Zinsmeyer, Marvin Echtle, Roy and Sylvan Biediger.

Dorothy received many useful and lovely gifts, after all departed for their home they wished her many, many more such happy birthdays.



FORMERLY MISS JEANNE GRANIERI

Granieri-Skinner Nuptials In Alamo Heights Church

Alamo Heights Methodist Church of San Antonio was the scene of the twilight wedding of Miss Jeanne Granieri, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Granieri of Medina Lake, and Eugene B. Skinner. The bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Gladys B. Skinner of Borger and Mr. Otis R. Skinner of Yorktown.

Candelabra and baskets of gladioli and white carnations adorned the sanctuary. The soloist, Weldon Thomas, was accompanied by Mrs. Norman Jacobs.

Miss Granieri's gown was of white chantilly lace over tulle and satin. It had long sleeves, bouffant skirt and chapel length train. Her veil was of French illusion and fell from a white satin bonnet covered with lace and pearls. She carried a white orchid and carnations cascaded with white satin streamers.

Mrs. John T. Hancock of Austin served as her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Kathryn Granieri sister of the bride Miss Berta Jean Blake of Floresville and Miss Helen Murrell of Castroville. The bridal party wore pink taffeta ballerina length dresses with wide pleated midriff and carried pink classical style bouquets of carnations.

The bride's mother wore blue silk crepe trimmed with lace used blue accessories and a white carnation corsage. The groom's mother also wore blue lace with blue and white accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Jerry Hill of Lewisville was best man. Ushers were John T. Hancock of Austin, Jackson Bortz of San Antonio and Frank Greghan of San Marcos. Reed L. Silvis of San Marcos, Walter B. Miller of San Antonio and Nolan E. Raney of San Marcos were groomsmen.

In charge of the bride's book at the reception held in the church parlor were Martha Carolyn Schultz of Floresville and Mrs. Randy Woods of San Antonio. Assisting at the reception were Miss Dorothy Lind and Mrs. Lucille Starkey of San Antonio and Miss Gaye Griggs of Castroville.

Following a wedding trip to Houston the couple will be at home at 217 Cheryl Drive West San Antonio.

Among the out-of-town guests present for the wedding were: Mrs. Finis Smith Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Creekmore, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan E. Raney, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Orman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bird, Mr. Reed L. Silvis, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Creghan, all of San Marcos; Mr. Pat Flaherty, Mrs. George Shaw, Miss Zuebelle Shaw, all of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Schultz, Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Blake, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holcombe, Mrs. Billy Clay, all of Floresville; Mr. Jerry Hill, Miss Claire Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hancock, Mr. James Campbell, all of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hitzfelder, of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skarada and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brant, all of Medina Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schneider, Mrs. A. A. Murrell, Miss Helen Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Griggs, Miss Gaye Griggs, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trip all of Castroville; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sheppard of Sugarland.

Yours truly

LETTERS TO SANTA

Hondo Texas
Dec. 9 1955

Dear Santa

We sing songs about you in school. I want a walking doll and a junior miss wrist watch and a pogo stick. And my brother wants a radio sending and receiving set and a bow and arrow set and he wants a pogo stick too. Please do not forget any girl or boy this Christmas. I am nine years old.

Irene E. Lutz
805 20th St.

Route 2 Box 277
Atascosa Texas
December 14 1955

Dear Santa Claus

Would you please bring me a B-B gun. I don't know exactly what else I want so I want you to surprise me on Christmas. And don't forget mother and daddy. Don't forget Timmy my parakeet and Peppy my dog. Don't forget Tramp my other dog either.

Your loving pal
Charleen Reams.
Merry Christmas
Santa Claus

1152-25 Street
Hondo Texas
December 13 1955

Dear Santa

I know you have pretty many children to take toys to on Christmas Eve. But I hope room for those who haven't told you what they want yet. I want a bicycle for Christmas. My sister has a bicycle and I always ride hers. But I'm tired of that because every time one of us wants to use it the other one has it. I am a girl and I am 9 years old, I also want a Skating Ballerina and Walking Doll, I want some plastic blocks to.

If you don't have time to bring me my toys I won't mind I'll understand. Every body can't always have there way you know. I don't think it would be fair if you did the big ones first and didn't have time for the little ones. Because the big ones have had many other Christmases Merry Christmas Santa

Yours truly
Frances Louise Meyer

The Kay Mill Confectionery

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Season's Greetings

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a joyous Holiday.

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and Men's Wear



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this happy holiday season stay with you and
your dear ones throughout the coming year.

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CLASSIFICATIONS

1. For Sale
2. For Sale-Real Estate
3. For Rent
4. Business Service
5. Wanted
6. Help Wanted
7. Lost and Found
8. Miscellaneous
9. Regular Meetings
10. Posted
11. Legal Notices
12. Card of Thanks

THIS WEEK NUMBER 27

1. FOR SALE

FOR THE BEST deal on any new car or truck see Ray Jungman, Phone 32, Castroville. (tf31)

FOR SALE: 11-ft. upright Freezer; regularly \$399.95. Christmas special \$259.95. De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: Mail boxes and house numbers. Rath Motor Co. (tfcl8)

FOR SALE: Stock saddle, Made by Hueser, Like new. Toe fenders and double rigged. Brass cinch rings and mohair girth. Sheep skin lining. E. E. Kollman, Red & White store, Hondo. (1tc27)

FOR SALE: NEW fully automatic Remington 20 Ga. light weight Shot Gun. Retails at approx. \$99.95, will take \$75.00. E. E. Kollman, Red & White store, Hondo. (1tc27)

FOR SALE: ABC wringer washer; Christmas special \$129.95 with a set of double rinse tubs, ironing board, pad and cover. Free! De Montel. (3tc25)

SAVE \$100.00 on this Christmas Special. Chambers Range only \$299.95 with your old range. Beautiful set of Dishes Free! De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: All kinds of V-type belts. Also all types of tractor fan belts. Buster Rath Motor Co. (tf25)

FOR SALE: One good used Frigidaire Refrigerator; 6-foot size; \$69.95; One 10-foot Norge Refrigerator in perfect shape, \$95.00. De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: Used L. C. Smith typewriter. Formerly priced at \$35.00. Now only \$17.50. Anvil Herald Office Equipment. Phone 6-3346. (tf20)

SELECT YOUR GIFTS from our second floor JUVENILE DEPARTMENT; folding table and chair sets; pitching horses; all kinds of children's rockers, high chairs, car seats, Taylor Tots, bassinets, cribs, and play pens. De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: 1951 Buick special, with radio, heater, Dynaflow, E-Z Eye glass, good paint, a clean one. \$195 down will take it. See Bill Berger at The Anvil Herald office. (tf26)

FOR SALE: 2 used Sofa Bed Suites; 1 used sofa, 1 used Dining Room Suite including table, 5 chairs and buffet. Priced to sell. De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: Whirlpool gas clothes dryer for \$5.00 down - balance in 40 months! (Offer expires Dec. 31.) De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: '56 Fords, 202 h. p.; '56 Mercurys, 225 h. p.; a few '55 Chevys. Real deal! Will undersell! See Ray Jungman, phone 32, Castroville. (tf18)

FOR SALE: Young parakeets - good for Christmas presents. \$3.00. Mrs. E. E. Kollman, ph. 6-2316. (3tc25)

BUY HER a Whirlpool Automatic Washer and Dryer combination for Christmas! Pay only \$15.00 down - 40 months 'o pay the balance. De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: 8-foot G. E. Refrigerator; Christmas special \$169.95 De Montel. (3tc25)

FOR SALE: Junior No. 2 De-Laval electric cream separator. \$50. Mrs. Joe Kremmeller. (3tc24)

FOR MORE gas mileage, use Conoco Super. Rath Motor Co. (tf16)

FOR SALE: 8 m. meter Brownie Movie Camera - good condition. Ph. 6-3874. (3tc26)

FOR SALE: Used electric train with 40 section track, 4-button remote control switches, uncoupling track, 3 automatic signals. 6-2209 or 6-3891. (3tc25)

1. FOR SALE

FOR YOUR Convenience . . . we have a "Tradin' Post" in our store! If you have anything to buy, sell, trade or lease, list it - place it in the proper compartment, and let our customers contact you. No charge, of course. Farm & Home Store. (tf8)

ASSORTED SCRATCH PADS: For Sale - 25c per lb. Anvil Herald. (tf26)

FOR SALE OR LEASE: The Macdonald Shooting Club, Inc., in Macdonald, Texas. Apply at 3019 West Houston, San Antonio 7, Texas. (4tc25)

FOR SALE: Safeguard checkwriter, never used, complete with your own personalized nameplate. Was \$99.50, now \$79.50. Guards against altered checks. Anvil Herald Office Supply, Ph. 6-3346. (tf27)

FOR SALE: '51 Model Farmall H with double row planter, double row cultivator, double row buster, fertilizer attachment, three-disc John Deere plow, John Deere tractor dump rack. All is perfect condition. Joseph W. Hubertus, Rte. 1, Hondo, Texas. (tf25)

BLACKBOARDS: Handy for every home, good Christmas gift. \$2.95. Anvil Herald Office Supply Store. (3tp25)

2. FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE
FOR LEASE: 296 acres of land. Mrs. Amanda Ward, 2878, Yancey Texas. (2tp26)

FOR SALE: Two adjoining 97 1/2 acre tracts, 4 miles southeast of Yancey. All cleared and leveled, black land, ideal for irrigation. An estate sacrificing \$100 per acre. Contact Noble L. Roberts Realty Co., 3429 S. W. Military Drive, San Antonio, Call WALnut 6-2346. (tf24)

LIST YOUR REAL Estate, with Wood & Wood, E. A. Bendeble, Agent. We have a lot of prospects, and a good list to choose from. (tf29)

FOR SALE: 4 room house and 2 lots. See Wood & Wood Real Estate. (c2tp)

FOR SALE: Residence property and building sites in Barkuloo addition and elsewhere in town. Furnished apartments for rent. Also a 33-acre farm with 6-room home near D'Hanis. See Davis of Hondo Land Co. Phone 6-2336. (tfcl2)

3. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 3 rooms and bath, unfurnished house. Inquire at 915, 30th St. or call 6-2347. (3tc26)

FOR RENT: Two furnished apartments with garage. 1908 Ave. R. - Call 62667. (3tc24)

FOR RENT: Four-room furnished cottage. Also, other property. Fletcher Davis, phone 6-2356. (tf19)

FOR RENT: Rooms and apts. Phone 6-3650, Henry Weynand. (tfcl7)

4. BUSINESS SERVICE

ROYAL BLUE: See the brilliant new blue Royal office typewriter now on display. Also Remington, Royal, Smith-Corona and Underwood portables. Anvil Herald Office Supply Store. (3tp25)

COLUMNAR PADS: All sizes from two columns to 30 columns wide. If its bookkeeping supplies you need, try the Anvil Herald.

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ELECTRIC SERVICE
Call 6-2113, Hondo

TRY A VAPO-SWAT: The most wanted insect control in America today. Mrs. Annie Bohmfalk 1105 Ave. M, dial 6-2250. (tf2c)

HOLLOWAY HARDWARE

4. BUSINESS SERVICE

LET ME HELP with your income tax and bookkeeping problems; 25 years experience, J. E. Ham, Room 202, Hondo National Bank Bldg., Telephone 6-2153. (tfc30)

MOTOR rewinding. Santos Electric Service, Call 6-2113, Hondo. (tf10)

PLEASE REMEMBER: We can go anywhere when our services are desired - day or night. Just ring phone 6-2224 and we will attend to everything. John A. Horgan, Funeral Director. (tfc)

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6. HELP WANTED

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7. LOST AND FOUND

WANT YOUR DEER HORNS mounted? Contact John Heickmann, Phone 50-F-11. (4tp25)

8. MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF MARTHA BERRY Dec'd. Estate of Martha Berry, deceased, having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Martha Berry, deceased, by Hon. A. H. Rothe, Judge of the County Court of Medina County, Texas, on the 7th day of November, 1955, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to said administrator, in the manner and within the time prescribed by law, at his residence at 302 New Haven Dr., Houston 9, Texas, where he receives his mail.

Signed, John B. Berry
Administrator of the estate of Martha Berry, deceased. (4tp24)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF CRAIG C. WILSON, DEC'D.

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Craig C. Wilson, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 28th day of November, 1955, by the County Court of Medina County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Hondo, Medina County, Texas.

MARY LOUISE WILSON
Independent Executrix of Estate of Craig C. Wilson, deceased. (4tc25)

NOTICE OF CALL
THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF MEDINA:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the holder or holders of bonds of Medina County, Texas, that all of the outstanding bonds of the following described issue are hereby called for payment: MEDINA COUNTY ROAD BONDS, SERIES 1945, dated November 15, 1945, Numbered 1 to 800, inclusive, in the denomination of \$1,000 each, aggregating \$800,000.00, Bonds Nos. 1 to 330, inclusive, bearing 2 1/4 percent interest per annum, and maturing on February 15, 1947, \$30,000 in each of the years 1948 to 1951, inclusive, \$35,000 in each of the years 1952 to 1954, inclusive, \$40,000 in each of the years 1955 to 1961, inclusive, and \$45,000 in each of the years 1962 to 1967, inclusive, with Bonds Nos. 331 to 800, inclusive, bearing 2 1/2 percent interest per annum, and maturing on February 15, 1955, \$25,000 in each of the years 1956 to 1959, inclusive, \$30,000 in each of the years 1960 to 1963, inclusive, \$35,000 in each of the years 1964 to 1967, inclusive, \$40,000 in each of the years 1968 to 1971, inclusive, and \$45,000 in each of the years 1972 to 1975, inclusive.

THE POLLING PLACE OF SAID ELECTION WILL BE AT THE V. F. W. HALL, LaCoste, Texas, on TUESDAY, January 10th, 1956 between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of electing two (2) directors for said district, the Medina County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 of Medina County, Texas, on the 10th day of Dec. 1955.

Signed, E. J. Keller, President, Board of Directors, Medina County Water Control and Imp. D. No. 1.

Seal.

Attest:
Signed A. P. Parma, Secretary, Board of Directors, Medina County Water Control and Imp. D. No. 1.

M&M PAUL POPE drove to Rockdale Tuesday for a brief visit with Mrs. Pope's mother, Mrs. Lightfoot, Paul Jr., a student at Southwestern University, Georgetown, returned to Hondo with them to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Harry Sibley of Louisville, Ky. arrived last Wednesday for a visit with her daughter and family, M&M Hugh Meyer, Henry and Clara.

Tony Brucks has arrived home from Texas A & M to spend the holidays here with his parents, the Ernest Brucks.

Bobby and Billy Landers and Bobby DePuy came home from Moyer Military Academy in Castroville to spend the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Landers and M&M Bob DePuy, respectively.

All the outstanding bonds of the above described issue are called for payment on February 15, 1956, at the OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER, AUSTIN, TEXAS, where they will be redeemed at par and accrued interest; and any of said bonds hereby called for payment which are not presented for payment on the date so fixed for their redemption shall cease to bear interest from and after said date.

GIVEN BY ORDER OF the Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, this on the 12th day of December, 1955.

O. J. BADER
SIGNED BY County Treasurer, Medina County, Texas. (3tc26)

4. BUSINESS SERVICE

To You -
Merry Christmas

5. WANTED

6. HELP WANTED

7. LOST AND FOUND

8. MISCELLANEOUS

9. REGULAR MEETING

10. POSTED

11. LEGAL NOTICES

12. CARD OF THANKS

13. WANTED

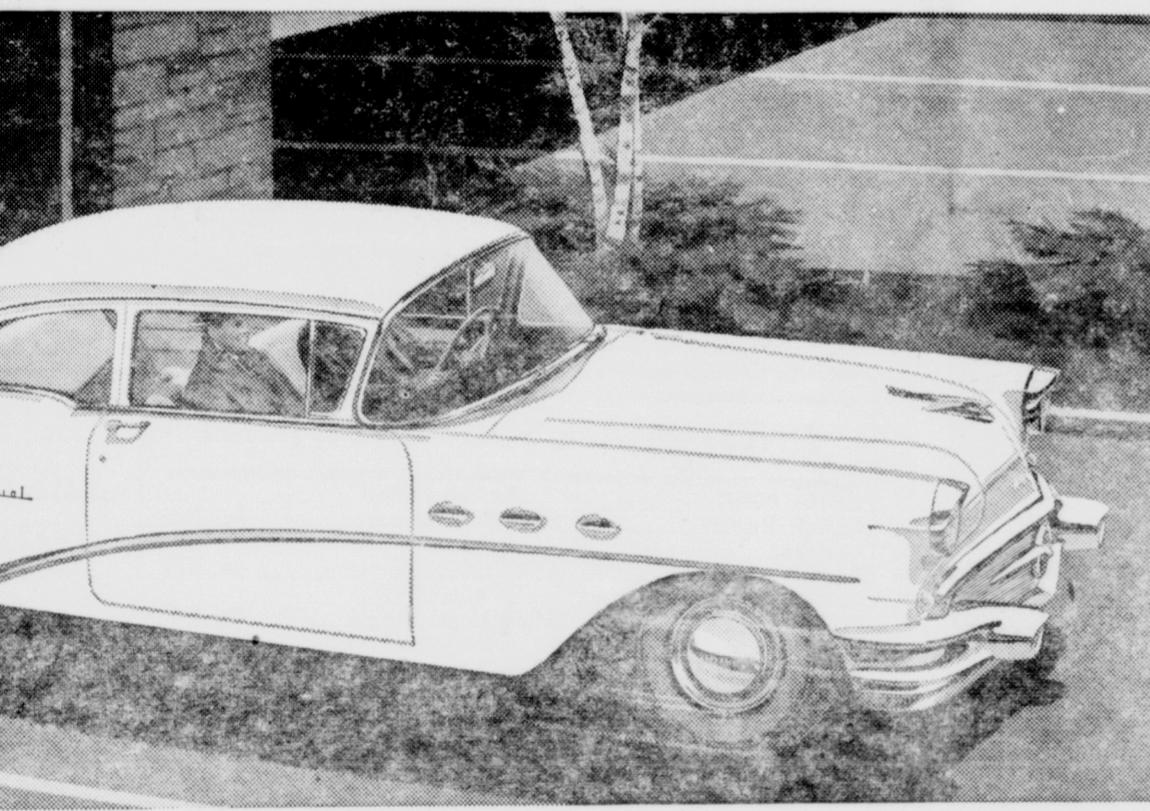


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Don't Wreck Christmas With Traffic Accident

"Don't wreck your Christmas celebration with a traffic accident!"

This plea was made to Texas drivers today by E. C. McFadden of Dallas President Texas Safety Association as he urged them to support the current Holiday Hazards program of the Texas Safety Association—the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Christmas falls on Sunday this year which means that many people will make holiday weekend trip to visit out-of-town relatives" Mr. McFadden said. "Such a trip can become a sad journey if the driver relaxes his vigilance for a moment."

He said that the main hazards likely to threaten a holiday motor trip are: inclement weather which makes visibility poor and roadways treacherous, hours

of darkness and the holiday mood which is likely to make drivers less alert than usual.

He offered these rules for a safe trip:

1. Plan your trip so that as much of the driving as possible will be accomplished during the light hours of the day.

2. Postpone your trip entirely when the weather is particularly rainy, snowy or when sleet and hail is in the weather forecast. Be sure to consult a weather forecast for the area to which you're driving.

3. Be certain your car is in top mechanical condition before attempting to take any sort of a trip.

4. Use tire chains at all times when the road is covered with snow or ice.

5. Most important of all: Adjust your speed to conditions.

YANCEY NEWS

By Mrs. Harrison Wilson

YANCEY — Pfc. and Mrs. Theo Lorling and Linda have arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with their families. The Lorlings are stationed near Philadelphia, Penn.

Mrs. Roy Wilson and Mrs. Leroy Miller had a party last Wednesday afternoon for the "young fry" in the community to welcome little Linda Lorling home, at Mrs. Wilson's home. Punch, cookies and sandwiches were served to fifteen little guests. Out of town guests were Linda's grandmother, Mrs. Louie Schmitz, Mrs. Chester Schmidt, Mrs. Leroy Miller (hostess) and Claire of Hondo and Mrs. Jack Fohn of SA.

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Other guests of the Roy Wilsons last week were Walter Rode of Victoria, who spent the week hunting and Herbert and Ervin Rode came out for the weekend. Sunday the Wilsons had a barbecue, honoring the Theo Lorlings. Others attending were the Rodes of Victoria, M&M Jimmie Odam and family, M&M Louie Schmitz and family and M&M Leroy Miller and Claire of Hondo.

Mrs. Emil Bohmfaik, Robert and Clyde and Wilbur Bohmfalk of Hondo went into SA Sunday afternoon for a short visit with Miss Rosalee Bohmfalk.

M&M R. M. Jones left Monday for Houston, to spend the holidays with their children and grandchildren, Dr. Jones and family and the Dr. Carrolls of Alvin.

M&M Richard Faseler and baby of Pearsall spent Sunday with the Ed Faselers.

Walton McCaughan of Corpus spent the weekend hunting with Mrs. E. E. Wilson.

M&M Fred Allen, Jr. and Martha Nell of Campbton spent the weekend with M&M E. T. Wimmers and Gene.

The Stanley Bensons visited the W. S. Garnetts Saturday, M&M W. S. Garnett, Jr. and family of Victoria are spending the week with the Senior Garnetts.

**Guild Members
Feted With
Mexican Supper**

Mrs. Ernest Brucks entertained members and guests of the Wesleyan Service Guild with a Mexican supper in her home Saturday night, Dec. 10. An annual affair, Mrs. Brucks is hostess each December to the group.

Guests served themselves buffet style from the dining table which held a miniature Christmas tree as a centerpiece. Individual tables held lighted snowmen candles, and peppermint stick canes marked the places and were eaten as dessert after the complete Mexican meal.

Mrs. Brucks was assisted in serving by her sister, Mrs. J. W. McDade of San Antonio, and her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Riff, Hondo.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. R. V. Stanga presided. Mrs. R. F. Pfeil had charge of the program "The Fourth Wise Man." The reading was given by Mrs. Amos Harilee, and the devotional was in charge of Mrs. W. B. McWhirter.

After the meeting, the gentlemen joined the ladies and heard Mrs. Harilee give the reading "The Littlest Angel".

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Stanga, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Harilee, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Woolis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berger, the Reverend L. A. McDaniell, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Peil, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Holloway, Mrs. Harley Eckhart, Eleanor Eckhart, Mrs. Ernest Muenning, Mrs. W. B. McWhirter, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Browning, Mrs. Erna Martin.

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County Agent News

By C. B. Gaston

The cut ant is a serious pest during the spring and summer months around the home and in young crops that are starting growth. After they emerge in the spring from the centralized dens, it is very difficult to get effective control. So if you plan to do anything on cut ant control before next year it is suggested that it be carried out during the winter months. Some demonstrations on their control is planned for January, using methyl bromide, and any person bothered with this ant who would like to have a demonstration at your place should contact the county agent.

In the last few days, the Florida Experiment Station has published their results on low-level feeding of phenothiazine. Their findings were almost identical with those of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and point up the fact that low-level phenothiazine feeding in cattle is neither effective nor economical. Unless a therapeutic dose is administered, phenothiazine has an effect so small that the costs of administering is not repaid by its use.

Twenty-two ladies were served. Margaret Herring accompanied by Mrs. Carl Richter on the piano sang "Bless This House."

Here In Hondo

Mrs. Ed Cameron left Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter and family Major and Mrs. P. N. Dunham and sons of Champaign Illinois.

At the Medina County Farm Bureau meeting held last Monday night at Devine, J. A. Gray, Extension Sheep and Goat Specialist, outlined a program of fitting the farm flock to the farm program. Mr. Gray stated that this practice is becoming very popular over the state and is providing a nice supplemental income without a large outlay of investment.

On August 12, 1955, the Governor signed Proclamation No. 45, providing for changes in the rules and regulations governing brucellosis control in the state of Texas. This proclamation made a number of changes in standard procedures. They are as follows:

1. The ages of animals officially vaccinated for brucellosis have been changed. Dairy type animals must now be vaccinated between 4 and 8 months of age and beef animals between 4 and 12 months of age. Animals vaccinated above these age limits cannot be recognized as official vaccines under any circumstances.

2. Reactor animals must now be branded with "B" on the left jaw by firebrand only.

3. Reports of official vaccinations by veterinarians now have ten days to reach the Livestock Sanitary Commission headquarters at Fort Worth, instead of the previous 48 hour maximum.

4. It is now possible to retest doubtful animals within 15 days

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Castroville FHA

Serves Sorority

CASTROVILLE — The F. H. A. Chapter of the Castroville High School served the annual birthday dinner for the Gamma Upsilon Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority Tuesday evening December 6. Spiced apple cider and hors d'oeuvres were served in the school library as the guests arrived. The menu was fruit salad with whipped cream, baked ham, broccoli with hollandaise sauce, sweet potatoes in orange shells, hot rolls, individual birthday cake with pineapple sherbet, coffee and iced tea.

Twenty-two ladies were served. Margaret Herring accompanied by Mrs. Carl Richter on the piano sang "Bless This House."

Miss Cynthia DePuy Home

From School In El Paso

Cynthia DePuy of Hondo has returned home for the Christmas holidays following termination of classes at Radford School for Girls. She is a member of the senior class at the El Paso school.

Miss DePuy was among students taking part in the school's 20th annual observance of the Yule Log ceremony that traditionally begins the Christmas vacation.

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Hospital News

Admittances:

Clara Roberts, medical, Dec. 15
Mrs. Louisa Sandoval, medical, Dec. 16

James Thigpen, medical, Dec. 17

Barbara Jean Chapman, appendectomy, Dec. 17

Mrs. Jack Zinsmeyer, medical, Dec. 13

Clifford M. Mabe, spider bite, Dec. 18

Baltazar Montalvo, tonsectomy, Dec. 17

Mrs. John Wiemers, surgery, Dec. 15

Julian Campos, medical, Dec. 12

Martin Long, broken arm, Dec. 14

Diamantina Bervato, medical, Dec. 15

New babies born at the hospital:

Raquel to M&M Jesus L. Barron on Dec. 12, 6 lbs. 13 ozs.

Sylvia to M&M Simon Soto on Dec. 14, 8 lbs. 12 ozs.

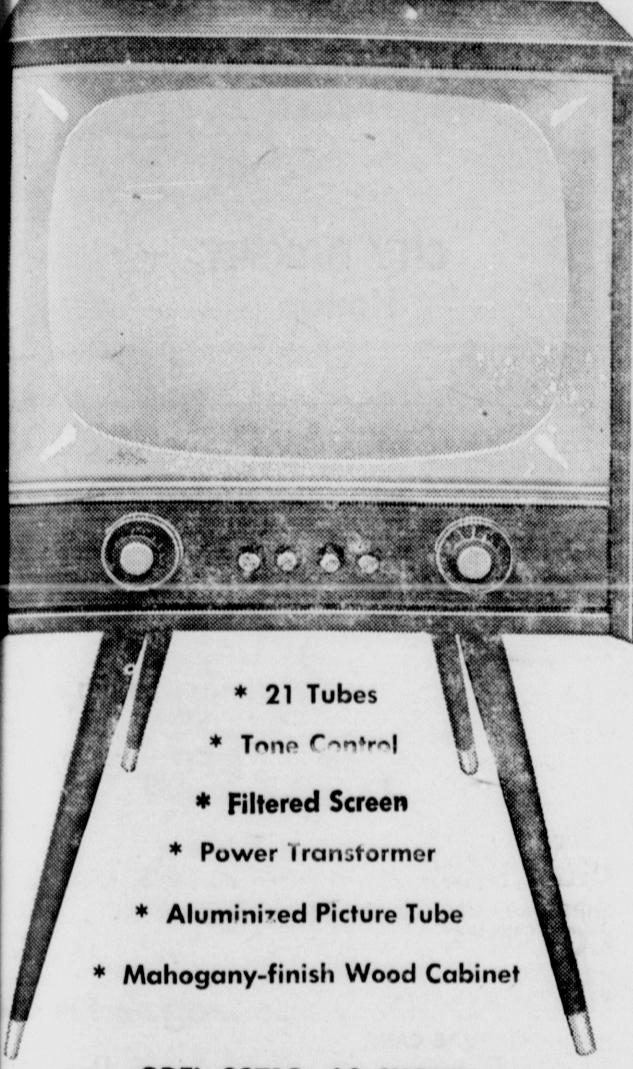
Jeanette Jean, to M&M Joe Monreal on Dec. 17, 7 lbs. 1 oz.

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Durkee's Cocanit (Moist) Can, 5-oz.	17c
Baker's Coconut, 4-oz, pkg.	15c
R&W Black Pepper, 4-oz.	31c
R&W Sage, 3/4-oz.	12c
R&W Poultry Seasoning, 5-8 oz.	10c
Imperial Sugar	10 lbs. 94c—5 lbs. 48c
Imperial Powdered Sugar	1 lb.—2 for 25c
Imperial Brown Sugar	1 lb.—2 for 25c
R&W Large Prunes	1 lb. 35c—2 lbs. 65c
Prince Regular Dog Food	tall 3 for 29c
Ruffy Dog Food	tall 4 for 25c
Clorox	1/2 gal. 29c
Dash Detergent	35c
Ivory Flakes	31c
Ivory Soap	large 2 for 27c
Tide	29c
Northern Tissue Colored or White	3 for 25c
Kraft Mayonnaise, 16-oz.	41c
Kraft's Miniature Marshmallows, 10 1/2-oz.	25c
Frito Bean Dip, No. 1	21c
Hi-C Orange Drink, 12-oz, cans	3 for 25c
Luckies, Chesterfields, Camels, Old Golds, Kools, Phillip Morris Cigarettes	reg. size ct. \$2.19

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

CALIFORNIA PASCAL

Celery	stalk 17c
EATMORE	
Cranberries	lb. box 24c
TEXAS	
Green Onions	2 bun. 15c
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Potatoes	5 lbs. 27c
TEXAS	
Oranges	5 lb. bag 32c

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SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

Mrs. Jack Fusselman and M. Lester Kite honored their Sunday school classes with a Christmas party on Sunday afternoon at the home of M&M J. M. House. The children exchanged gifts and played games. Refreshments of soda pop, cookies, and popcorn balls were served to Mike House, Charles Fusselman, Donnie Kite, Ricky Davis, Janie Sweeten, Sheila Templeton, and Sharon Hamby. The children are in the Sunday school classes of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. E. L. Kelley

Named Chairman

The Camp Fire Leader's Association meet Thursday night, Dec. 15, at the Lions Hall and new officers were installed. They are Mrs. E. L. Kelley, chairman; Mary Margaret Burgess, vice-chairman; Mrs. Harry Mueller Jr., secretary-treasurer.

Outgoing officers were: Mrs. Katherine Corder, chairman; Mrs. Ruth Hofferth and Mrs. Dorothy Williamson, vice-chairman; and Mrs. Eileen Saathoff, secretary-treasurer.

The third Thursday of each month is the regular meeting night and it is open for all leaders, assistants and sponsors. The association voted to buy several sets of leather tools for the Camp Fire Girls to use.

Here In Hondo

Miss Marilyn Bendele, daughter of M&M W. A. Bendele of Hondo, arrived home Tuesday for the Christmas holidays, which extend until January 3. Miss Bendele is a freshman at Our Lady of the Lake College, and is majoring in Business.

Settlement News

By Miss Carmen Bayer

Mrs. Rosa Carle, Mrs. Lina Fuos, Mrs. Emma Tschirhart and Mrs. Angeline Burger called briefly on their brother William Burger and son Ulrich Saturday afternoon.

M&M Rudolph Bayer, Carmen, Ralph, Dorothy and Carolyn Bendele visited with M&M Rudolph Posch at Biry Sunday.

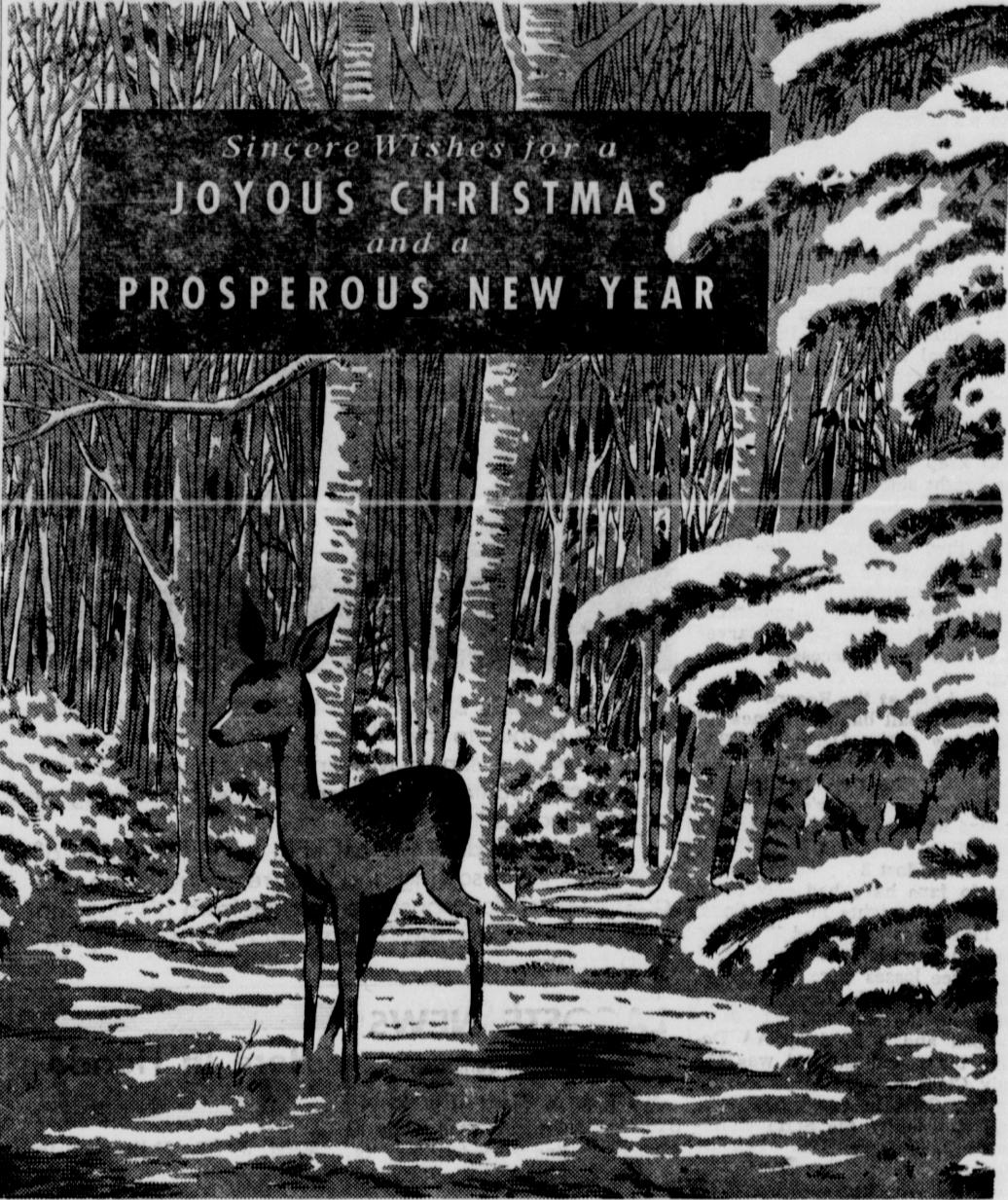
Rudolph Bayer and family were in SA Saturday.

Calling on the Rudy Bayer family Wednesday morning were Mrs. Carl and Mrs. Rudolph Posch. Mrs. Elsie Burger called in the afternoon.

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